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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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	Examiner Marcus Menezes	Art Unit 3677

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 01 May 2007.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: GB 2343701.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

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(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Applicant wanted clarification on a suggested manner to overcome the prior art. Examiner indicated that the direction of the lace apertures in the prior art are not the same direction as in the Applicant's invention; thus this is an issue that could differentiate the invention with the prior art.